**Child care centres under ICDS**

1548.DR. (SHRIMATI) NAJMA A. HEPTULLA: Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of children centres working under the Integrated Child Development Services Scheme, State-wise;

(b) whether Government is aware that a lot of children are suffering from malnutrition in these centres;

(c) if so, whether Government has proposed to serve packaged foods through Anganwadis to these centres, to tackle the problem of malnutrition; and

(d) if so, what are the details of the proposal and the status thereof, till now?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY): (a) State-wise number of operational Anaganwadi Centres (AWCs)/Mini-AWCs, as on 30.06.2008, under the Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) Scheme is given in the Statement (See below).

(b) Yes, Madam.

(c) No, Madam.

(d) Doesn't arise.

***Statement***

*Statewise number of Anganwadis (AWCs) and mini-AWCs Sanctioned and operational as on 30.06.2008*

| Sl.No. | Month of report | State/UT | No. of Anganwadi & Mini-anganwadi | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Sanctioned as on 30.6.2008 | Operational (as on month indicated in col.2) |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| 1 | 06/08 | Andhra Pradesh | 81564 | 71420 |
| 2 | 06/08 | Arunachal Pradesh | 4277 | 4277 |
| 3 | 06/08 | Assam | 37082 | 36849 |
| 4 | 04/07 | Bihar | 81088 | 80211 |
| 5 | 04/08 | Chhattisgarh | 37256 | 29550 |
| 6 | 06/08 | Goa | 1112 | 1112 |
| 7 | 06/08 | Gujarat | 44179 | 43444 |
| 8 | 06/08 | Haryana | 17444 | 17444 |
| 9 | 06/08 | Himachal Pradesh | 18248 | 18248 |
| 10 | 05/07 | Jammu & Kashmir | 25483 | 16409 |

| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 11 | 06/08 | Jharkhand | 32097 | 31978 |
| 12 | 06/08 | Karnataka | 54665 | 54665 |
| 13 | 06/08 | Kerala | 32115 | 32267 |
| 14 | 04/08 | Madhya Pradesh | 71488 | 68665 |
| 15 | 06/08 | Maharashtra | 94238 | 78222 |
| 16 | 03/08 | Manipur | 7621 | 7621 |
| 17 | 06/08 | Meghalaya | 4622 | 3305 |
| 18 | 06/08 | Mizoram | 1682 | 1682 |
| 19 | 06/08 | Nagaland | 3194 | 3194 |
| 20 | 06/08 | Orissa | 46516 | 41697 |
| 21 | 05/08 | Puniab | 20169 | 20169 |
| 22 | 06/08 | Rajasthan | 51053 | 50972 |
| 23 | 06/08 | Sikkim | 988 | 988 |
| 24 | 06/08 | Tamil Nadu | 50433 | 50433 |
| 25 | 06/08 | Tripura | 7351 | 7351 |
| 26 | 05/08 | Uttar Pradesh | 150727 | 149386 |
| 27 | 06/08 | Uttarakhand | 12340 | 9065 |
| 28 | 06/08 | West Bengal | 92152 | 88416 |
| 29 | 06/08 | A & N Islands | 672 | 672 |
| 30 | 05/08 | Chandigarh | 370 | 370 |
| 31 | 08/08 | Delhi | 6106 | 6106 |
| 32 | 12/07 | Dadra & Nagar Haveli | 253 | 219 |
| 33 | 03/08 | Daman & Diu | 107 | 102 |
| 34 | 03/08 | Lakshadweep | 87 | 87 |
| 35 | 06/08 | Puducherry | 688 | 688 |
| | | All India | 1089467 | 1027284 |

* State-wise details of the requirements of additional AWCs and mini-AWCs received from the States/ UTs and approved by the

**Deaths due to malnutrition**

1549.SHRI A. ELAVARASAN: Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the number of malnutrition deaths has increased in some States;